Sampling Plan Checklist -

		Y/N
List of Pollutants to be Evaluated		
•	Standard 12 pollutants? ¹	
•	Existing local limit pollutants?	
•	Toxic pollutants listed in the NPDES permit?	
•	Other pollutants identified in priority pollutant scans?	
•	Other pollutants identified in an applicable TMDL or 303(d) listing	
Sampling Points		
•	Influent (prior to any recycle stream)?	
•	Effluent	
•	Background (including unregulated commercial and industrial)?	
•	Digester influent (for non-conservative pollutants w/inhibition criteria)?	
•	Internal points (influent to treatment units with inhibition criteria)	
Number of Samples		
•	Use of existing data?	
•	More than 10 sample events?	
Sample Type		
•	Grab for required pollutants ² ?	
•	24-hour composite for all others?	
Analytical Methods		
•	Use of EPA approved methods?	

¹Arsenic, cadmium, chromium, copper, cyanide, lead, mercury, molybdenum, nickel, selenium, silver, and zinc

²Cyanide, hexavalent chromium, total phenols, volatile organics, oil & grease, sulfide

• Use of most sensitive methods?